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ARTICLES OF ORGANIZATION OF THE MILWAUKEE AMATEURS' RADIO CLUB, Inc.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That the undersigned, adult persons, Loy Shull Baird, Clarence H. Crabb and Leo J. Petrolewski, residents of the city of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, state of Wisconsin, being desirous of forming a corporation for the purposes set forth in Chapter 86 of the Wisconsin Statutes, do hereby make, sign, agree and acknowledge the following Articles of Organization:

ARTICLE ONE. The undersigned have associated and do hereby associate themselves together, the purposes for which is to own, operate and maintain an amateur, special amateur or experimental Radio telegraphic and telephonic station or stations; to promote the art and knowledge of radio telegraphy, radio telephony, and allied subjects among its members; for the more effective relaying of friendly messages between the different stations, for legislative protection, for orderly operating, and for practical improvement of short-wave radio telegraphic communication; for banding local radio amateurs into an non-commercial organization that could champion their cause and to provide a means whereby the intellectual standing of the members could be collectively raised; and to uphold the laws of radio communication of the United States of America and assist its officials in apprehending offenders thereof.

ARTICLE TWO. The name of such corporation is to be "THE MILWAUKEE AMATEURS' RADIO CLUB, Inc.," and its location is to be in the city of Milwaukee, county of Milwaukee, and state of Wisconsin.

ARTICLE THREE. This corporation is formed without capital stock, and no dividends or pecuniary profits shall be declared to the members thereof.

ARTICLE FOUR. The general officers of such corporation shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and Business Manager.

The Board of Directors shall consist of seven members, who shall be elected on the last Thursday in September of each year by a majority vote of the members of this corporation for the term of one (1) year beginning on the first Thursday in October of each year.

The said corporation shall hold its first meeting for the election of officers on the 21st day of March, 1923, at two o'clock in the afternoon, in the city of Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin. The officers shall be elected by the directors, who shall first be elected by the members of the corporation.

ARTICLE FIVE. The principal duties of the President shall be to preside at all meetings of the Board of Directors and all the regular and special meetings of the members, and to have a general supervision of the affairs of the corporation.

The principal duties of the Vice-President shall be to discharge the duties of the President in the event of the absence or disability for any cause whatever of the latter.

The principal duties of the Secretary shall be to countersign all deeds, leases and conveyances executed by the corporation, affix the seal of the corporation thereto and to such other papers as shall be required or directed to be sealed and to keep a record of the proceedings of the Board of Directors and safely and systematically keep all books, papers, records and documents belonging to the corporation or in any wise pertaining to the business thereof.

The principal duties of the Treasurer shall be to keep and account for all moneys, credits and property of any and every nature of the corporation, which shall come into his hands, and to keep an accurate account of all moneys disbursed and to render such accounts, statements and inventories of moneys received and disbursed and of money and property on hand, and generally of all matters pertaining to his office, as shall be required by the Board of Directors.

The principal duties of the Business Manager shall be to take care of the general business of this corporation, and to conduct all the outside correspondence of the corporation. He shall represent the club at all meetings with other clubs and associations, and shall also represent the club in all business transactions with individuals, partnerships or corporations.

The Board of Directors may provide for the appointment of such additional officers as they may deem for the best interests of the corporation. Whenever the Board of Directors may so order, the offices of Secretary and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

The said officers shall perform such additional or different duties as shall from time to time be imposed or required by the Board of Directors, or as may be prescribed from time to time by the By-Laws.

ARTICLE SIX. The membership of the corporation shall be composed of Honorary Members, Members, Associate Members and Junior Members.

Candidates for regular membership shall hold a United States radio operator's license of amateur or higher grade, shall be at least eighteen (18) years of age, and shall have a bona fide interest in amateur radio activities. Candidates for associate membership shall be at least eighteen (18) years of age and shall have a bona fide interest in amateur radio activities. Junior membership is for candidates under eighteen (18) years of age having a bona fide interest in amateur radio activities.

The members of said corporation, except Honorary Members, shall pay an initiation fee of Fifty Cents. The Members and Associate Members shall

pay a monthly fee of Fifty Cents, and the Junior members Twenty-five Cents per month.

The members will be discharged or expelled for misconduct or neglect of duties and obligations and for the non-payment of dues as prescribed by the By-Laws,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands this _____day of_____, A. D. 1923.

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Signed in presence of:

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ARTICLE SEVENTH. These articles may be amended by resolution setting forth such amendment or amendments adopted at any meeting of the members of this corporation by a vote of at least ~~two thirds of the members present at any such meeting.~~ 1/2 of the number of ~~this~~ days [illegible]